

To-day's Advertisements.



VICTORIA PRECINCTORY.

THE MEETING of the Victoria Precinctory fixed for To-morrow Evening, the 18th Instant, is POSTPONED till Further Notice.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 879



ARMY CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received at the Undermentioned Office, until 12 o'clock Noon, on MONDAY, the 28th day of May, 1894, for
HOSPITAL SUPPLIES, including BEER, MUTTON, FLOUR, POTATOES, FRUIT, MILK, POWDER, EGGS, WINES and SPIRITS, &c., &c., during a period of ONE YEAR and NINE MONTHS, commencing on 1st JULY, 1894. Forms of Tender Conditions of Contract, and any further Particulars may be obtained on application at this Office, between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock, and no Tender will be entertained unless made upon the Form so obtained.
The Secretary of State for War does not bind himself to accept the Lowest or any Tender.
HEAD QUARTERS OFFICE B, Hongkong, 16th May, 1894. 870

THEATRE ROYAL.

MRS. POTTER and Mr. BELLEW, Supported by Their Own London Company.

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), 18th May, DAVID GARRETT.
Violent Gashan, Mrs. POTTER, David Garret, Mrs. BELLEW.

Private as usual. Commencing 7.30 o'clock. Box Office at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd. Late Train Each Evening.

SATURDAY, 19th May. A SMOKING CONCERT will be given by Mrs. POTTER and Mr. BELLEW at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, on SATURDAY next, 19th Instant, at 9.15 p.m. precisely. The Committee of the Hongkong Smoking Concert Club have kindly undertaken the direction of the Concert and have promised the assistance of some of their members.
Tickets of admission can be had from the Hon. SECRETARY of the above Club or from Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Ltd. Price, \$2.00. Commencing 9.15 p.m. precisely.
T. V. TWINNING, Manager.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 878

PUBLIC AUCTION OF A LARGE QUANTITY OF MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY AT THE SALE ROOMS, 17, PRINCE STREET, ON

SATURDAY NEXT, the 19th May, 1894, at 2.30 p.m. On view from Friday.

SEE EXPENSES. A. E. SKELLES & Co., Auctioneers, &c.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 877

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY, 19th May, 1894, at 2.45 p.m.

COMPETITION—SPOONS Ranges—200 and 600 yards. Shots—7 at each distance. Entrance Fee, 30 Cents. There will be a special prize for the highest net and aggregate scores, and if sufficient entries, Badge Spoons as well.
ARTHUR CHAPMAN, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 880

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM-FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX.

ALSO PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 30th May, 1894, the Company's S.S. NATAL, Commandant VERON, with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Freight till 3 p.m. on the 29th May, 1894. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.
G. de CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 871

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship, *Ulysses*, Captain LARSEN, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 872

To-day's Advertisements.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

I HAVE RESUMED the CHARGE of the Company's AGENCY in Hongkong. G. de CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 881

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW. The Co.'s Steamship *Eden*, Captain DAVIS, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 18th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARSEN & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 876

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship *Nanoo*, Captain HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 29th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARSEN & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 874

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship *Glencairn*, Captain MURRAY, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd Inst., at 4 p.m., and not as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 912

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship *Tsuan*, G. RAMSAY, Commandant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, 20th Instant, at 3 p.m.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamship. First-class Saloon situated forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A fully qualified Surgeon is carried.
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 875

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & Co., Ltd.

DAKIN'S SALINE. Pleasant and safe aperient. Useful for sea sickness, biliousness, slight eruptions on the skin, headache, &c. One or two doses often ward off an attack of fever. 75 Cents per bottle.

DAKIN'S QUININE AND IRON TONIC gives health, strength and energy. Invaluable in FEVER and LARGELY FEELING. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL. At the change of the seasons people often leave off their heavier clothes too soon and catch cold in the head.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL Sprinkle on the handkerchief will relieve it. Little Mocha. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S QUININE AND IRON TONIC gives health, strength and energy. Invaluable in FEVER and LARGELY FEELING. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL. At the change of the seasons people often leave off their heavier clothes too soon and catch cold in the head.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL Sprinkle on the handkerchief will relieve it. Little Mocha. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S QUININE AND IRON TONIC gives health, strength and energy. Invaluable in FEVER and LARGELY FEELING. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL. At the change of the seasons people often leave off their heavier clothes too soon and catch cold in the head.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL Sprinkle on the handkerchief will relieve it. Little Mocha. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S QUININE AND IRON TONIC gives health, strength and energy. Invaluable in FEVER and LARGELY FEELING. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL. At the change of the seasons people often leave off their heavier clothes too soon and catch cold in the head.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL Sprinkle on the handkerchief will relieve it. Little Mocha. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S QUININE AND IRON TONIC gives health, strength and energy. Invaluable in FEVER and LARGELY FEELING. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL. At the change of the seasons people often leave off their heavier clothes too soon and catch cold in the head.

DAKIN'S EUCALYPTUS OIL Sprinkle on the handkerchief will relieve it. Little Mocha. Per bottle, 50 Cents and One Dollar.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Bremen & Ports of Call	Freussen (s)	Norddeutscher Lloyd	May 28, at 3 p.m.
Hamburg and London	Volante (s)	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	About May 19.
London & Ports of Call	Verona (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	May 25, daylight.
London & Ports of Call	Bozetta (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	May 24, at noon.
London, v. Marseilles	Glenyle (s)	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	May 21, at 4 p.m.
London, v. Marseilles	Munira (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About June 16.
London, v. Suez Canal	Ulysses (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	May 20, daylight.
London, via Amoy	Ramessida (s)	Shewan & Co.	May 19, at 4 p.m.
Marseilles & Saigon	Nanoo (s)	Shewan & Co.	May 20, at noon.
New York, v. Suez Canal	Glencairn (s)	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	May 23, at 4 p.m.
New York	Edward May	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
New York	Adam W. Spies	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
Port Darwin, &c.	Tainan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 26, at 3 p.m.
San Francisco, v. Japan	Belgie (s)	O. & O. S. N. Co.	May 24, at 1 p.m.
San Francisco, v. Japan	Furu (s)	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	June 2, at 1 p.m.
San Francisco, v. Japan	Shonan (s)	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
Shanghai	Lysenoon (s)	Shewan & Co.	May 19, at 4 p.m.
Shanghai	Sutji (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About May 24.
Shanghai	Munira (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About May 24.
Singapore, Ponnang & Cila	Catherine (s)	Douglas Lapsack & Co.	May 23, at noon.
Swatow	Fokien (s)	Douglas Lapsack & Co.	May 18, at noon.
Swatow, Amoy & Fochow	Nanoo (s)	Douglas Lapsack & Co.	May 20, daylight.
Yamaguchi (B.C.) & Empress of Japan (s)	Yamaguchi (B.C.) & Empress of Japan (s)	Canadian Pacific Co.	May 23, at noon.
Victoria (B.C.) &c.	Sikh (s)	Nor. P. & R. Co.	May 29, at noon.

DEPARTURES. May 17.—
For Manila, *Tai Lea*, for Swatow.
For Hongkong, for Hailow and Haiphong.
For Hongkong, for Shanghai.
For Hongkong, for Saigon.
For Hongkong, for Swatow.
For Hongkong, for Chetoo.

CLEARED. *Ariete Maru*, for Kutchinguan.
Svinauay, for Mantung.

PASSENGERS. *Per Imasco*, from Singapore, 1 Chinese.
Per Nanoo, from Coast Ports, 1 European, and 106 Chinese.
Per Fulu, from Saigon, 23 Chinese.
Per Le Schep, from New York, Mr. Chas. Page.

For Hongkong, from Bangkok, 95 Chinese.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:—
For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA
Per *Yamaguchi*, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 25th inst.

For EUROPE, &c., &c. (Late Letters 2.10 to 2.30 p.m.)
Per *Freussen*, Registration, 1 p.m.; Letter, 2 p.m.; on Monday, the 28th inst.

For SHANGHAI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & TAIOOMA.
Per *Sutji*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 22nd inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.—
The British Contract Packet *Rosetta* will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 24th Instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, and for the Straits Settlements, Siam, India, Burma, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

NOTES OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.
When the Packets leave at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon:—
The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before.
8.00 a.m.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases.
(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way.)

10.00 a.m.—Registry ceases.
10.30 a.m.—Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases.
11.00 a.m.—Mail closes.

11.10 a.m.—Mails may be posted (from 11.10 a.m.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 a.m., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same late fee.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

DEPARTURES. *Per Fochow*, for Hongkong, 1 European, and 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, for Hailow, 1 European.
For Yick, from Chetoo, 4 Chinese.
For Hongkong, from Singapore, 250 Chinese.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.
Noon.—Fokien leaves for Swatow.

Amusements.
9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

General Memoranda.
SATURDAY, May 19.—
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., at the Hongkong Dispensary.

2.30 p.m.—Auction of Miscellaneous Property at Messrs A. E. Skelless & Co.'s. 2.45 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association.
9.15 p.m.—Concert at the City Hall.

SUNDAY, May 20.—
Goods per *Glencairn* undelivered after this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, May 21.—
Goods per *Kinloch* undelivered after this date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, May 22.—
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Humphreys Estate & Finance Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.

Goods per *Stamper* undelivered after this date subject to rent.
9 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Lodge.

THURSDAY, May 24.—
Noon.—Meeting of The New Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

DISINFECTANTS.

CARBOLIC POWDER.

CARBOLIC ACID.

PERMANGANATE DISINFECTANT.

CAMPHELYNE POWDER.

CAMPHELYNE BALLS.

